

THE COMANCHE CHIEF

SEVENTY-FIFTH YEAR

COMANCHE, COMANCHE COUNTY, TEXAS, OCTOBER 3, 1947

NO. 11

SOILELECTION SATURDAY

COMANCHE VS. HAMILTON HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Largest Crowd of Season Is Expected To Be On Hand To See Indians-Bulldogs Clash

Coaches Jimmy Marshall's and Pop Peters' Comanche Indians will take on Pete Roach's Hamilton Bulldogs here Friday night in the opening 10-A conference game of the season. The kickoff is slated for 8 o'clock, and the largest crowd to see a grid game here in several years, is expected to be on hand to see these two 10-A squads renew their rivalry.

The odds favor the Bulldogs, if their 33-0 win over Lometa and crushing 50-0 victory over Hico combined with a 14-0 win last season over the locals, mean anything.

Hamilton boasts plenty of beef, with three of their starters weighing over the 200-pound mark—and a starting team averaging 176 pounds. The Indian starters hit the scales at about 153-pound average, or spotting the visitors approximately 23 pounds per man.

Comanche, with a season record of two wins and one defeat, has been spending long practice sessions this week, trying to devise a defense to stop the hard running of 205-pound fullback McCollum, and 150-pound half-back Leeth, and company, as well as to brush up an offense capable of upsetting the Bulldogs' championship plans.

Bands to Play

Comanche's seventy piece band, which drew wide applause from the fans at the Comanche-Santa Anna game last week for its in-between-half performance, will again have a special half-time act. Comanche boasts one of the largest bands in this section, neatly outfitted in black and gold uniforms. M. T. Camp is the director; John Lacy, the drum major; and the six twirlers are Doris Scott, Lou Cunningham, Dorothy Williams, Mary Jo Albin, and Clarice and Janice Parker.

Hamilton will also bring its band here for the game.

Starting Lineups

Probable Bulldog starters are: Johnson, 135 and Riley, 125, ends; Burris, 246 and Pulcher, 150, tackles; Rost, 180 and Havens, 145, guards; Bullard, 225, center; McCollum, 205, Basham, 160, Smith, 145, and Leeth, 145, backs.

Indian starters: Wilson, 146 and Martin, 150, ends; Phifer, 175 and Mazurek, 160, tackles; Dudley, 160 and Green, 150, guards; Guthrie, 142, center; Masters, 164, G. Hicks 160, Layman, 160, and Tupin, 135, backs.

Indian 'B' Squad Faces Gustine Here Nite Oct. 2

The Comanche "B" football squad will meet the Gustine Tigers here Thursday night, Oct. 2, at 8 o'clock, in the opening 1947 game for the Indian reserves.

An admission of 35c for adults, 25c for students, is to be charged.

"We need to give these inexperienced Comanche gridmen encouragement," say the Comanche coaches, Marshall and Peters, who hope that a good turnout of fans will be present to see this opening tilt with the Tigers.

Indians Down Santa Anna 19-12

Game at a Glance

Comanche	Santa Anna
15 First Downs	2
209 Yds. Gained Rushing	47
128 Yds. Gained Passing	60
10 of 17 Passes Completed	2 of 10
2 Passes Intercepted	1
2 for 50 yds. Punts 5 for 147 yds.	
2 for 20 yds. Penalties 4 for 30 yds.	

Comanche Indians, although greatly outclassing their rivals in game statistics, barely edged past a hard fighting Santa Anna Mountaineer eleven, 19-12, here Friday night, in one of the most interesting football games seen here in a long time.

Comanche scored early in the first quarter, with Masters completing an aerial to G. (Speedy) Hicks, who raced thirty-seven yards for the opening score of the night. Masters' kick for the extra point was wide.

The Indians came back to add another touchdown on the second play of the second quarter. Comanche recovered a Mountaineer fumble on the visitors' 30 yard marker. Layman raced through the middle to the visitors' 7-yard marker—and Hicks tallied three plays later from the two yard marker. Masters' try for the extra point was again wide.

Santa Anna failed to register a single first down during the first half, but struck suddenly midway in the third quarter, completing a fifty yard pass and advanced the ball to the Indians' fifteen, to set up their first scoring opportunity of the night. The Mountaineers cashed in four plays later, completing a 15-yard aerial, good for the score.

The Indians came right back and marched 70 yards in eight plays, with passes by Masters and two nice runs by G. Hicks, eating up the needed yardage. Wilson added the extra point.

Sellers, hard running 175-pound Mountaineer quarterback, grabbed the Comanche kick-off on his own twenty-five yard line, and raced it back beautifully, untouched, for seventy-five yards, and a touchdown, to bring the score to 19-12.

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Long Resigns As County Attorney; Nicholson Named

Robert H. Long, who has been county attorney here since late 1945, resigned last week effective October 1, to accept a position as an attorney for the Federal Government at Norfolk, Virginia, a responsible position carrying a good salary.

John Nicholson, local attorney was appointed by the Commissioners Court as county attorney and assumed his new duties Wednesday. Nicholson, a World War II veteran who held the rank of captain, attended Rice Institute and the University of Houston and studied law at the University of Texas.

The law partnership between Y. W. Holmes and Nicholson has been dissolved.

ALBIN CEMETERY WORKING SATURDAY

There will be a cemetery working at the Albin Cemetery Saturday.

The Hub, Inc., Comanche's New Men's Furnishing Store, Will Hold Formal Opening Saturday

Comanche's newest business enterprise, The Hub, Inc., will hold its formal opening Saturday, October 4, in their beautiful new building at 124 West Central, on the south side of the square.

The new store will deal exclusively in men's apparel, and will be one of the most modern stores of this type in this entire section.

Connard Reeves is the manager, and is one of the five owners of The Hub, Inc. Other men owning interests in the store, all inactive in its management, are J. H. (Tiny) Burton, Jack Vaught, Tom Burton, and Dick Weekes, all of Comanche.

The Hub, Inc. has leased the east part of the new Perry Brothers Building, now nearing completion. The store is thoroughly modern throughout, having attractive waxed birch interior fixtures, asphalt tile flooring, flour-



EVANGELIST—Pictured above is Evangelist Lucille Rogers, of Lubbock, who will present the Gospel in sermon and song in a revival now underway in the Four Square tent, located 5 blocks out on the De Leon Highway. "The public is invited to attend these services, held nightly at 8 o'clock," of the local Four Square Gospel says Rev. E. O. Carroll, minister Church.

South Cites His Views On Soil Election Saturday

By James L. South, Vocational Agriculture Instructor

Saturday of this week the farmers of the South part of Comanche County are to go to the polls and say whether they want that part of the county to be annexed to the Upper Leon Soil Conservation District. I understand that this same election has come up once or twice before and failed to carry. Every issue, or proposition, that the people of Texas are called upon to vote on has its merits and demerits—let's examine this or investigate this issue and study those merits and demerits.

Before I go into the discussion of this issue, I would like to introduce myself to the people of Comanche County. I have lived here only eighteen months, coming here from Big Spring. I purchased a farm six miles east of Comanche and am living on and operating that farm along with a full time job as Agriculture Instructor in the Veterans Vocational School. While at Big Spring, I was supervisor with the Farm Security for fourteen months.

Just previous to that I was Farm Planner with the Soil Conservation Service for twenty-seven months.

Since I have had experience inside the Soil Conservation Service, I feel that I am qualified to speak from both sides, the farmer, and the government, as this SCS is a government agency.

In the counties that worked or was closely connected with the farmers got very little service or help from this. We spent what little time we did work on some well to do farmer's farm that had some surplus money he wanted to spend. Most of the time we spent riding around in government cars, spending your money doing nothing.

I am going to give you several reasons why I am voting against this issue this week, and I admit that I am still going to pay my part of the bill for the balance.

First: The bulk of the money is being spent in the wrong place—to pay a host of high salaried people a fat salary when very little of the money actually gets out on the farm where it should be spent.

Second: When it is completely organized it will replace the AAA, and that will mean that the farmers will not get any more conservation payments to help them get conservation work established on their farms. (It almost went out this year, but you notice that SCS was out but very little.)

Third: The SCS promises nothing more than technical service, and we already have too much of that now. A great many of their so-called technicians are no better qualified than the farmer that operates the place.

Fourth: I am against a binding agreement, which means government supervision of what you shall plant, where and when. You farmers were not told about this part of the deal. I would remember the words of the SCS representative that spoke to us at the SCS hearing; he said, "Please don't ask me any questions."—I wonder why? You will be called on to sign an agreement with the government which can have any number of dos and don'ts in it and if you fail to live up to these provisions, the Service can collect from the land owner for the technical services.

Fifth: I am against taking the money that Congress thought they were appropriating to save the soil and paying it out in the form of big salaries to people that are no more interested in your welfare than if you did not exist.

Don't misunderstand me and think that I am against soil conservation, for I have been preaching it for twenty years. But I have been in favor that the spending be done on the farm.

Negro Minstrel At Proctor Friday

Superintendent Cyril Irby announces that there will be a Negro Minstrel at Proctor School auditorium Friday night, beginning at 7:45 o'clock.

Thirty funny Negroes will be present in a jolly program. A charge of 10 and 20 cents will be made for the benefit of the playground equipment fund.

Election To Be Held Saturday To Determine If Entire County Be Included In Soil Program

Marshall Gives His Views On Soil Election

By Charles W. Marshall, President Comanche Chamber of Commerce

The Soil Conservation Election that is to be held Saturday is a very important election for the farmers in this county.

If our Congress should fail to make an appropriation for the Triple-A and it looks like they are more in favor of the Soil Conservation program than they are the Triple-A, we would be left without any Government assistance for Soil Conservation.

The Triple-A has done more for our county than any program has ever done for Comanche County, but we cannot depend on Triple-A with our present Congress.

The big argument against State Soil Conservation is the fact that there is law that says a unit group can force the water from a watershed across a man's property. This can be done, but it has to be voted ninety percent in a unit before it can be done.

Take a unit group composed of thirty farmers—27 would have to vote for the water to be carried through a place before it would be carried that way.

The people should be for anything to conserve the soil. If a man is paying for something that he is not getting a man should not vote for him not to get it.

Now, this program is strictly a volunteer set up and a man can be in the district and until he signs a contract for technical assistance he is not a part of the program.

Emergency Water Rates Set Here

Emergency, temporary water rates were set this week by the Comanche City Council, in the special meeting, at \$2 for the first 1,000 gallons used, and \$1 per 1,000 for additional gallons.

"This is just a temporary rate, that we'll abolish as soon as possible, which we set to help us combat the drastic water shortage," says Mayor Waldrop, who explains that water in Lake Eanes, is estimated to supply the City of Comanche for just about thirty days.

Council members explain that by raising the rate, that it is hoped that water consumption will be reduced; and that too, it will give the City additional income to provide another source of water.

"If we get water from anywhere except Lake Eanes, the cost will be greatly increased," explains Mayor Waldrop, who pointed out that money is to be used in drilling new City wells, and to get ready to perhaps arrange for hauling in water from Lake Brownwood.

"We will have water, even though we don't get a rain," continues the Comanche mayor, explaining though that the cost would have to be higher than the former rate.

Before the emergency rate was set this week, the water rate in Comanche was \$1 for the first 3,000 gallons, with additional water sold at 25c per 1,000 gallons.

WATCH! WATCH!

Watch future issue of The Chief for announcement of time, place, and other particulars on a real old fashioned Comanche Stew, to be given by the Ladies Auxiliary of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Comanche. Proceeds to go toward the purchase of a parish house.

Rev. H. F. Skaggs will preach at Rock Bluff Church Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Singing at 2:30 p.m. — Mrs. Tommy Gray,

An election will be held Saturday with voting boxes at Comanche, Sipe Springs, Beattie, Sidney, Hasse, Newburg, Gustine, and Larkin to determine if the whole of Comanche County should participate in the practice of the Upper Leon Soil Conservation District.

For more than ten years about half of Comanche County, mostly in the De Leon sector, has been participating in the State Soil Conservation Optional Program as set up under the name of the Upper Leon Soil Conservation District.

FRITTS REVEALS WHO CAN VOTE SATURDAY IN SOIL ELECTION

Walter Fritts, Director of the Upper Leon Soil Conservation District, explains that any man or woman who is otherwise qualified, may vote in Saturday's Soil Conservation election if he or she lives within the proposed district and owns real estate either in the town or country within the district. Both man and wife are entitled to vote.

There will be only one voting box in Comanche and that will be at the courthouse in the former office of the sheriff, first door west of the County Clerk's office.

Novit's Quitting Staging Big Sale

Harry Melowsky, in a page advertisement in Section Two of this issue, announces that Novit's Store here is quitting business on January 1 and that a sale featuring drastic price reductions begins Friday morning at 9 o'clock on all merchandise with the exception of some restricted brands.

Mr. Melowsky, who has been with the store here for eight years, says this big price reduction sale is his way of saying goodbye to his friends and of expressing his appreciation for the good business the store has enjoyed.

Further details of the Novit sale can be obtained from the advertisement.

REV. ARTHUR JOHNSON TO PREACH HERE SUNDAY

Rev. Arthur Johnson, of the public relations department of Howard Payne College, will preach at the Sunday morning and evening services at the First Baptist Church here, according to an announcement from the pulpit committee.

A wedding of interest to many people of this section will be solemnized next Sunday when Miss Katie May Lane will be married at 9 a.m., to Mr. Leland J. Norcross at the Pettit Church, near the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lane, Route 3, Comanche.

Majestic Theatre

FRI. & SAT. MATINEE
Ronald Coleman As
The Cisco Kid In
"ROBINHOOD OF MONTERREY"

SATURDAY NIGHT
"SCARED TO DEATH"
With Bela Lugosi And
Joyce Compton
Filmed in Cinecolor

SUN. MAT. & MONDAY
Don DeFore And
Ann Harding In
"IT HAPPENED ON 5th AVENUE"

TUESDAY ONLY
— Double Feature —
Stan Laurel And
Oliver Hardy In
"SAPS AT SEA"
— also —
Joan Bennett And
John Hubbard In
"THE HOUSEKEEPER'S DAUGHTER"

WED. & THUR.
Frank Sinatra And
Kathryn Grayson In
"IT HAPPENED IN BROOKLYN"

SPORTS

BY JAMES WILKERSON

Odessa, defending State champions, by winning smashing victories in each of its three starts this season including last week's crushing 49-6 win over Lubbock, is again the overwhelming favorite to capture the State AA title.

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Initial Fall Crop Show Big Success; Rodeo and Carnival Draw Applause

The first Comanche County Crop Show and County Fair sponsored by the Comanche Lions Club last Saturday was a big success and plans are already underway for a bigger and better show next year.

Much interest in the show was manifest by farmers and the ladies clubs and some fine farm exhibits were shown despite the drought. With a normal season next year the show should be even better. Exhibits in the ladies and girls division were as fine as ever shown in the county. Winners will be listed in next week's issue of The Chief.

Outstanding attraction in the Crop Show were the booths. Fairview won first in the community booth with Harmony a close second.

Comanche County Vocational School won first in the educational booths with Sidney PFA second.

J. W. Wright, Beattie 4-H Club boy, won the individual booth and had arranged one of the better booths in the show.

Good crowds attended the Boys Rodeo and the show was a thrill from the beginning to the end and unusually good stock was used in the contests. Plans are already underway for another Boys Rodeo next year, probably around September 1.

Highlight of the Lions Carnival featured a group of side shows, including a ducking pond in which some of the best known men of Comanche were ducked in their finest clothes.

Joe Nelson Buys McMillan Station

Joe Nelson, who has been in the service station business here and in the Creamer community, bought the McMillan Sinclair Service Station here this week from H. R. McMillan.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bill Humble, a senior student at Abilene Christian College, will deliver both sermons Sunday. The public has been extended a cordial invitation to worship and hear this young minister of the Gospel of Christ.

Gustine Methodist

Special services will be held at the Gustine Methodist Church Sunday morning at eleven o'clock, according to an announcement by Rev. A. S. Gafford, District Superintendent, who urges a full attendance of the membership.

CIRCUS NEWS

Next Sunday we will have our regular services at Indian Creek. Sunday School at 10 a.m. Preaching by pastor at 11 a.m. Young People's meeting at 7:30 p.m. and preaching again at 7:30 p.m. We urge you to attend church somewhere October 5. If you have no church home or anywhere else to attend we assure you, that you will be welcome at Indian Creek.

Ritz Theatre

THURSDAY, FRIDAY,

SATURDAY

Oct. 2-4

William Boyd

— in —

"PARTNERS OF THE PLAINS"

THURSDAY

Oct. 9

— Double Feature —

"DILLINGER"

— and —

"MUTINY IN THE BIG HOUSE"

Grand OPENING

Saturday Oct. 4th

Comanche's Exclusive
MEN'S STORE

The Hub, Inc.

"SOUTH SIDE OF SQUARE"

WE INVITE YOU TO VISIT OUR STORE AND
SEE THESE FAMOUS BRANDS AMONG MANY
OTHERS. ALL ARE FEATURED LINES IN THE
MEN'S WEAR FIELD.

"Coke" Will Be On The House Opening Day



Manhattan



OISEN-STELZER
Cowboy Boots

BORSALINO
HATS

J. CAPP'S & SONS
SUITS & TOPCOATS



Lester Udell
CLOTHES

Mansco

D & J
WORK CLOTHES

HOLLYVOGUE
California TIES

Field Stream
T.M. REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.



Jarman
SHOES

MEL ROSE
"Slacks
of
Distinction"



The HUB, Inc.

J. H. (Tiny) BURTON

DICK WEEKES

TOM BURTON

JACK VAUGHT

CONARD REAVES

More Want Ads

FOR SALE—Model B Farmall, 1945 model, mounted on 11" tires, with all equipment.—D. O. Harris, Proctor. (10-11p)

EVEREADY Water Heaters—Butane or natural gas, for sale at reduced prices.—Elkins Tin Shop, Comanche. (10-11p)

\$92.50 PAID TWICE A YEAR—repays a \$2500.00 Federal Land Bank loan, interest and principal, in 20 years.—Comanche County NFLA, Eiland Fagan, Sec-Treas. (10-11p)

BUTTONHOLE ATTACHMENTS for all makes of sewing machines. Westinghouse motors for Singers, parts and supplies for all makes of sewing machines, wholesale and retail. Some electric sewing machines on hand.—W. W. Jarrett, Jonesboro. (10-11p)

COMANCHE HOUSEWIVES depend on EXTERMO to keep their kitchens free of black sugar ants. This honey-flavored syrup attracts the ants out of the house and a month's supply costs only 39c at your Grocery or Drug Store. (10-11p)

FOR SALE—"U Laundry," complete with 4 washers, tubs and other equipment.—Russell and Harris, Comanche, Box 788 or Phone 224 after 6 o'clock. (10-11p)

FOR SALE—14 Farmall with equipment; also a grain drill.—R. Bufo, Mount Olive, Canadian. (10-11p)

FARM AND RANCH LOANS For Long Terms at 4% interest. Pay off in advance at any time. Available to repair, rebuild improvements, finance old loans and for purchase of farms and ranches.—Comanche County NFLA, Eiland Fagan, Sec-Treas. (10-11p)

WISE HOUSEWIVES use DURHAM'S EXTERMO to keep their kitchens free of black sugar ants. It is a honey flavored syrup which attracts the ants out of your house. A 1 pound bottle costs only 39c at your Grocery or Drug Store. (10-11p)

FOR SALE—My home in Comanche, second house north of the Majestic Theatre on same side street; 6 rooms and baths, rooms rented out now bringing me \$60 per month. Will take \$6000. See me at residence mornings, or at Robert's Cafe afternoons.—Mrs. A. J. Coker. (10-11p)

DEAD ANIMAL SERVICE—For Free Removal of dead, crippled, or worthless stock, call COLLECT Hamilton Soap Works, Phone 303, Hamilton, Texas. (10-11p)

FOR SALE—Pa & Ma's Diner, doing good business; with lot 53x100, living quarters, bearing fruit and pecan trees, garage and storage room. Also 7x9 concrete minnow tank. Priced reasonable. Selling on account of wife's health.—See or call Dave Finkelstein, Comanche. (10-11p)

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID for good used furniture and appliances. One piece or a houseful.—J. T. Mays & Co., Comanche. **USED TRACTORS**—We have on hand at all times over twenty good used tractors at reasonable prices. Dealers discount on truck loads.—Barbee Implement Company, Phone 5, Box JJ, Dublin. (10-11p)

C. C. HAMPTON LAWYER Practice Limited To Office Work. Title & Probate Work. Tate Bldg.—South Side Square

Howard Payne Plays East Texas Teachers At B'wood Saturday

Comanche football fans will get to see a nearby college game Saturday night when the Howard Payne eleven plays East Texas State Teachers College at Brownwood High School Stadium. The game starts at 8 o'clock.

The Howard Payne Yellow Jackets are preparing for their first home game this week-end with East Texas State Teacher's College. The game will be played Saturday night, October 4.

After losing their first game with Texas A&I College at Kingsville by a score of 19 to 14, the

Jackets proved their real ability in trouncing the strong Louisiana Tech Bulldogs 14 to 0 on the Bulldogs' playing field. The Howard Payne eleven came back from Louisiana with no serious injuries and is expected to be in peak form for Saturday's game. Charlie Olson, six foot, 190-pound full-back from Waxahachie, who was injured in pre-season workouts and again in the A&I game, will be ready to play and will probably provide the spark for most of the Jackets' offensive rushing plays. What might well turn out to be the deciding factor in this game is the surprise passing team of quarterback Al Langford and ends Frank Barnett and Cameron Byler. These men were respon-

sible for most of the ten out of twelve passes completed in the H.P.-La. Tech game.

In scrimmages this week, Head Coach Joe Bailey Cheaney is polishing up his defense against the single-wing and double-wing formations which the East Texas eleven has thus far found very effective. Coach Cheaney is familiar with the type of plays run off these formations as the Collegians used them against H.P.C. last year. However, the Jackets themselves were using a modified T formation last year whereas they now use the regular T.

With both teams greatly improved, there is room for much speculation as to just how the game will end. The colleges battled to a 7-7 deadlock last year and it is certain that each team will be trying for those all im-

portant, game winning touchdowns this Saturday.

DE LEON METHODIST CIRCUIT ACTIVITIES

Rev. R. L. Bowman and his good people of De Leon Methodist Circuit, are building a new stone church at Morton's Chapel. This rural church, organized in 1910, about five miles from De Leon, has an unusual record for loyalty and faithfulness through the years.

The cornerstone for this church was laid on the evening of Sept. 25th. Rev. J. D. Smoot, assisted by the pastor, conducted the ceremony and laid the cornerstone.

After this service the ladies of the church served a delicious sup-

Courthouse News

District Court
B. F. Moore vs. Comanche REA, damage.
School Tax Vote
The election held September 15 at Newburg, on a proposal to raise the school tax, resulted in a vote of 34 for the tax increase and 36 against the tax increase.

Births Recorded

To Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rogers Armstrong, Gustine, Sept. 22, a son, Thomas S.

For Schools and Churches

60,000 B.T.U. Radiant Type BUTANE HEATERS \$69.50

Just What You Need for Your School or Church. Let us figure your Butane and Plumbing Jobs. WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY.

Homer Mix

STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS

Congratulations..

We join in extending our sincere congratulations and best wishes to Mr. Connard Reeves, manager, the owners, and the entire personnel of THE HUB, INC. . . . on the completion of one of the most modern of exclusively Men's Store in this section of the State.

We're proud of your faith in Comanche, and Comanche County—in investing heavy here among us—and know that you picked a good town in which to establish your store — and we, of GREENE & WARING, wish for you the success which you deserve!

Greene & Waring

Cyril Greene John D. Waring Charles Marshall

NOTICE

I HAVE REOPENED MY LAW OFFICE

Located In Tate Building, South Side of Square.

Practice Limited To OFFICE WORK PROBATE AND TITLE.

C. C. Hampton

CONGRATULATIONS

TO OUR NEW NEIGHBOR

The HUB Inc.

ON THE OPENING OF YOUR NEW MEN'S FURNISHING STORE.

This new building, and modern men's apparel store is a credit to our city, and something of which Comanche is justly proud.

This fine thoroughly modern building, of PERRY BROTHERS, INC., a part which is being leased by THE HUB, INC., is a building which would be a welcome addition to any community, no matter how large!

The Comanche National Bank

OFFERING THE CITIZENS OF THE COMANCHE TERRITORY A COMPLETE BANKING SERVICE FOR MORE THAN HALF-A-CENTURY.

Welcome

HUB Clothiers To COMANCHE

... We, of STRALEY ELECTRIC COMPANY, join in extending our sincere congratulations to you on the completion of your beautiful, new Men's Furnishing Store—and the occasion of your formal opening SATURDAY.

... We know modern styled buildings when we see them—and are glad to have had a part in furnishing THE HUB, INC. with the latest in fluorescent fixtures—as well as doing the electrical wiring needed in this beautiful new building!

YOUR  DEALER

Straley Electric Co.

ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES, SUPPLIES, REPAIRS, AND CONTRACTING OF ALL KINDS

Best Wishes

TO THE HUB

ON THE OCCASION OF THE FORMAL OPENING OF THEIR NEW MEN'S STORE

Saturday, October 4

MANY YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN HANDLING BUILDING MATERIALS GIVES US A FULL APPRECIATION OF YOUR NEW INSTITUTION!

We are proud to have had a part in furnishing you with many materials used in the construction of your modern new home!

Clay Building Material Co.

J. B. RUTH, Mgr.

OUR Sincere Congratulations

and Best Wishes To

THE HUB INC.

PERRY BROTHERS, INCORPORATED

"A Texas Institution, Home-Owned—Home-Operated"

The Comanche Chief

Established in 1873
J. C. WILKERSON, Editor

October is the month that can make or break a fruit orchard as far as the next growing season is concerned, says an A&M College news release. It all depends upon whether the orchardist gets his pruning work done, plants his winter cover crop, and removes and replaces old and unhealthy trees.

The above paragraph reminds us that people are very much like the trees in an orchard. When a person's usefulness is over, the pruning work starts by retiring the inefficient worker; the winter cover crop might be compared to the education given the youth before they begin their work of making a living; and the Great Reaper removes the old and unhealthy individuals and replaces them with the newly born babes.

Continuing, the A&M news release says, "Dairy cows don't need horns. Dehorning them as calves makes dairying safer for both the dairyman and the animals."

Human beings don't need tonsils nor their appendix. Removing them when they are children is safer for the child and easier for the doctor.

Again the A&M article says, "Poultry disease and parasites control can be simplified by cleaning the laying house before the pullets are housed there."

Everyone knows that when a man marries it is better to take his bride to a brand new modern house which has all modern sanitary and labor saving conveniences.

The last paragraph of the A&M article says, "It pays big dividends to spend much time, and if necessary money, in selecting the right seed corn to plant."

"As is the father, so is the son"

Dublin, with 8 rural routes and serving 1189 rural boxes, is said to rank 18th in the State in the number of people served on the

rural routes by a Texas post office.

Bible Thought: "When Jesus had lifted up himself and saw none but the woman, he said unto her, Where are those thine accusers? Hath no man condemned thee? She said, No man Lord. And Jesus said unto her, Neither do I condemn thee: go and sin no more."—John 8:10-11.

Although Comanche has some seven or eight organized churches and church buildings, there is only one resident pastor in Comanche at this time—Rev. Urban A. Schulze, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

The Presbyterians have a lot and almost enough money in the manse fund to erect a pastor's home here.

The Baptists have a nice parsonage and will likely have a new pastor within a short time.

The Central Christian Church has a parsonage which has been rented out for several years as Dr. C. C. Klingman who recently resigned as pastor to accept the pastorate at Honey Grove, occupied another home while here.

The Church of Christ is seeking either to rent a suitable house for a resident minister or may build a new dwelling for their minister on the lot adjoining the church.

The pastor of the St. Matthew's Episcopal Church here, lives at Brownwood although he is now preaching here every Sunday.

An article taken from the Broadway Times of Chicago and reprinted in the Southwestern Advocate cites the following—

Thirteen Ways to Kill a Preacher

Stay away from church, especially when you know only a handful will be present. Stay away from the Wednesday evening prayer services because there never is a large group present.

When the sermon is over leave the church in a hurry without speaking a word of encouragement to the pastor.

When you get sick don't let him know about it, and then

criticize him for not coming to see you.

Never invite him or his family out to dinner in your home. They never enjoy a social hour.

Pay just as little as you can to the church and then always grumble about the church wanting money.

Never give up your allegiance to your former pastor. Constantly quote him in all things and keep him in contact with everything that is going on and ask his decision in the matters of the church.

Never give your pastor anything except what you promised. This might make him think you appreciate him.

Always have some fool excuse when he wants you to do something in the church. That is what you pay him for.

Never call at the pastor's home, but raise "Billy Cane" if he does not visit you once or twice a week.

Don't ever offer to help in any way, for he might think you are "butting in." Act as cold and indifferent toward him as you can and he will think you are dignified.

Never bestow any kindness upon him or his wife on their birthdays, wedding anniversary, pastoral anniversary, Christmas, etc. Just forget them entirely, for they might think you love them. These little remembrances would be too kind.

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Elastic
STARCH, lge. box 10¢

Chiffon
SOAP FLAKES, lge. box 29¢

Peacemaker
FLOUR, in print bags, 50 lbs. \$3.49

Peacemaker
FLOUR, in print bags, 25 lbs. \$1.79

White Swan
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, No. 2 can 10¢

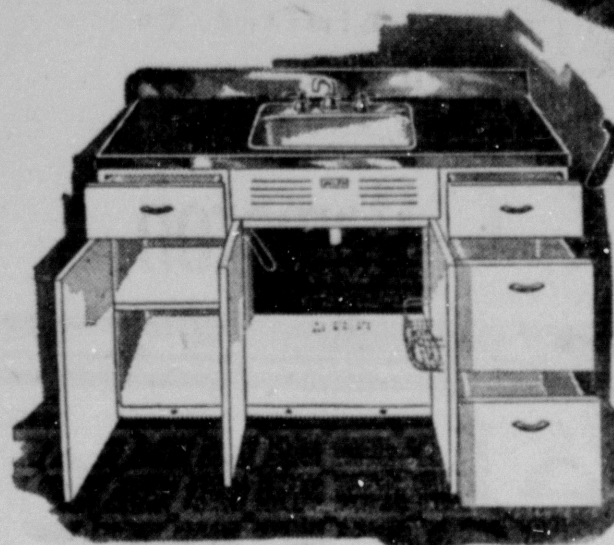
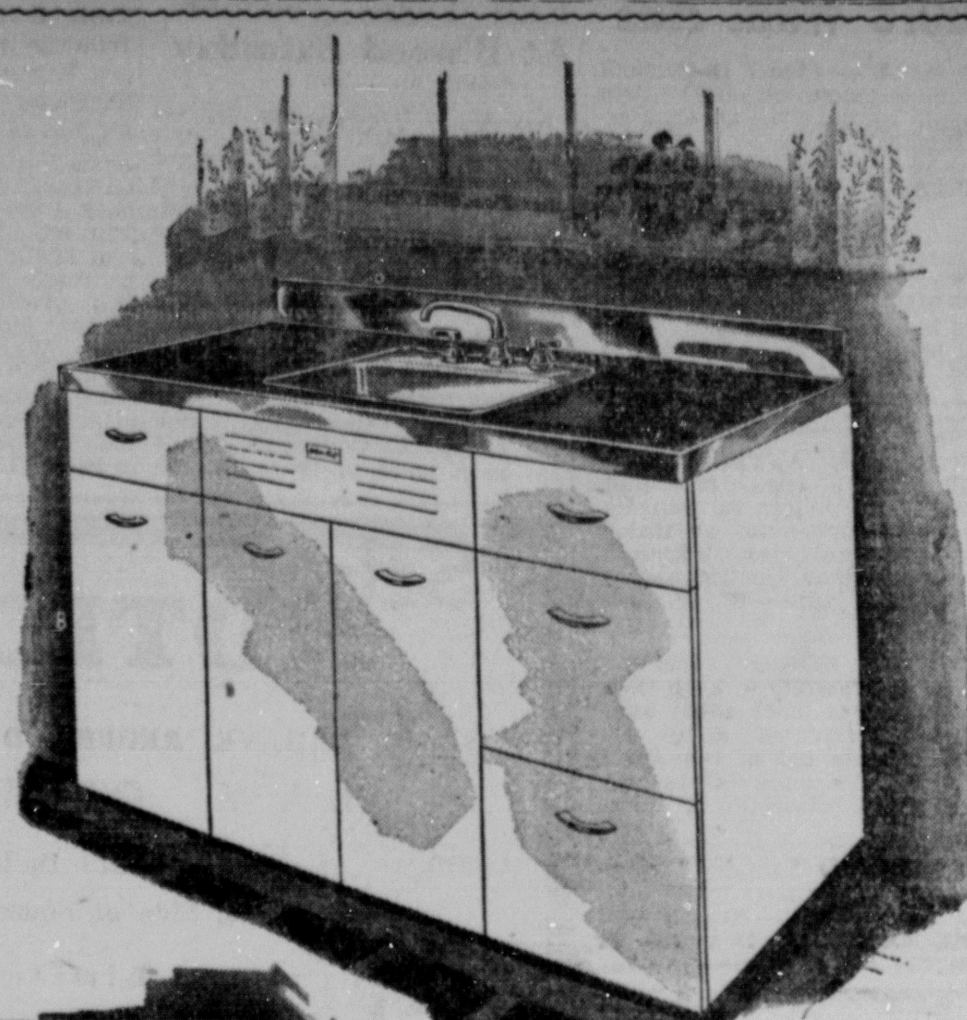
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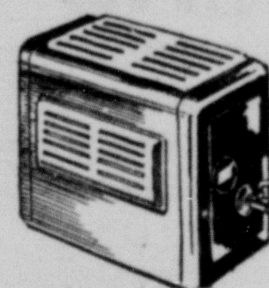
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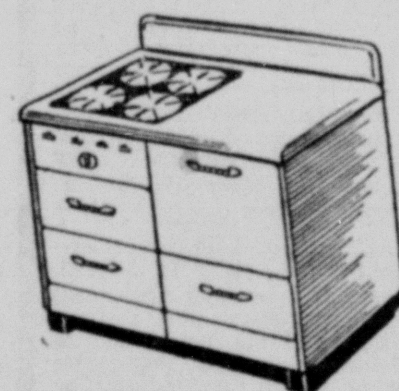
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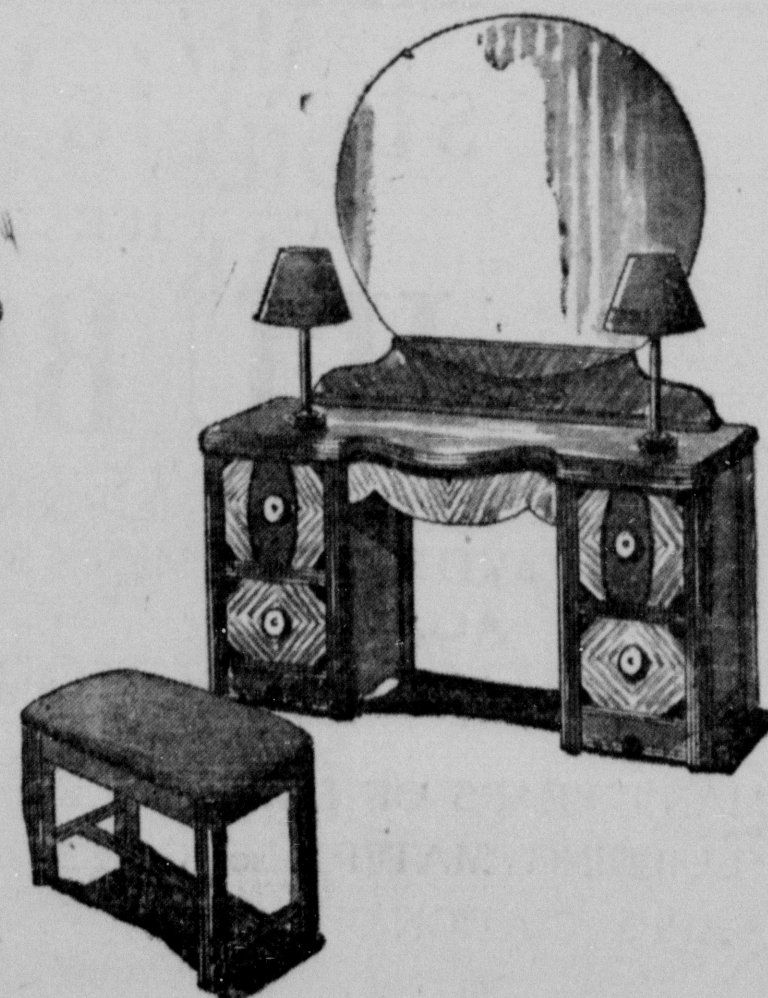
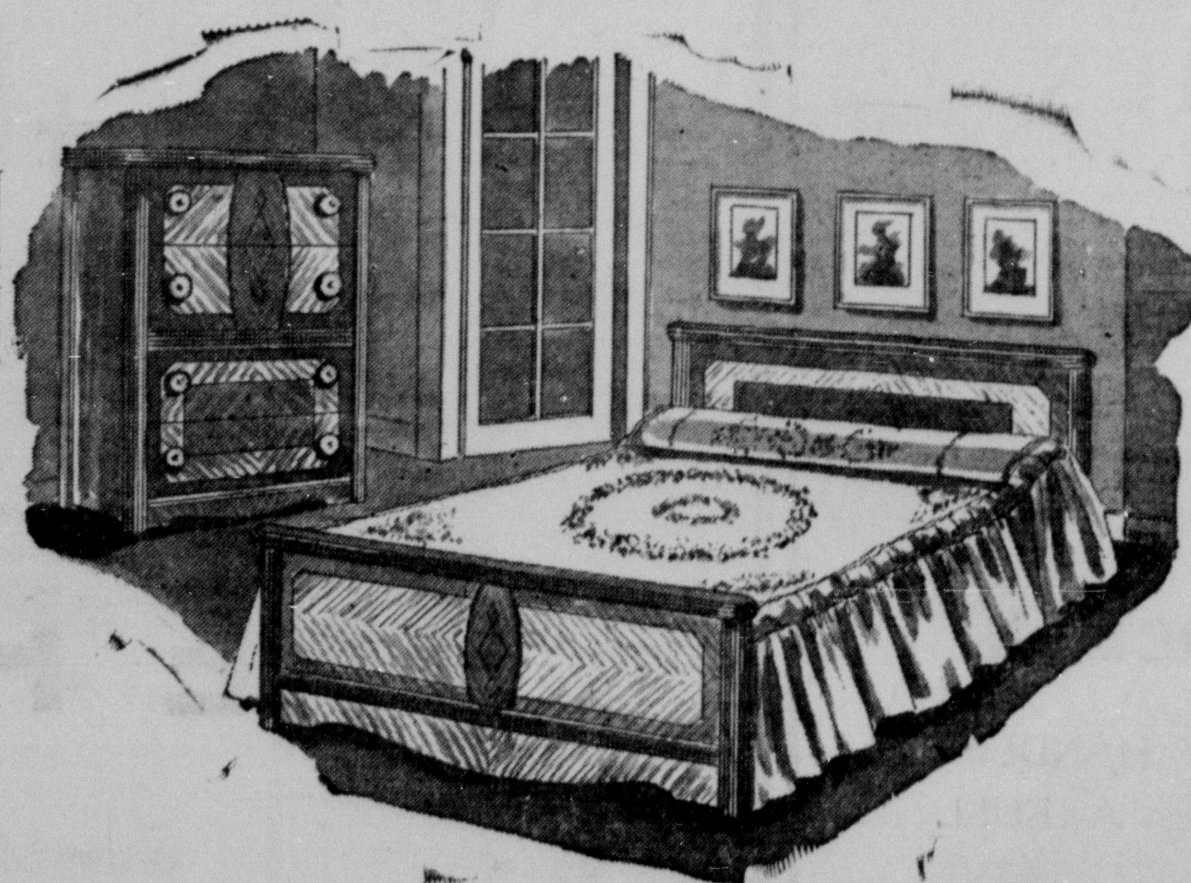
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DISTRICT GARDEN CLUB MEETING AT SAN SABA

The district meeting of the Heart of Texas Garden Clubs will be held all day Friday, Oct. 3 at San Saba. All members of the Comanche Garden Club are urged to attend this meeting. If you find it possible to attend, please phone Mrs. Tom Dudley, number 78.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Fawver of Floydada and D. M. West and Mrs. D. W. Towry of Odell spent Wednesday and Thursday here with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney West and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Shoemaker returned Monday evening from Temple where Mrs. Shoemaker underwent an operation.

Mrs. Sidney West is reported

Hospital Notes

Patients hospitalized here the past week are as follows:

Major surgery: Mrs. Roscoe Sparks, Mrs. Nolan Rogers, Mrs. Glen Norwood, Mrs. E. O. Lucas.

Medical treatment: Mrs. A. B. Bolin, Mrs. Harold Dobbs, Mrs. W. M. Bailey, Mrs. H. W. Hughes, C. R. Dudley, Mrs. Tom Hart, K. T. Mitchell, Mrs. Charles Tyson, Mrs. N. N. Durham.

Mothers and new babies: Mrs. Nolan Rogers, girl; Mrs. Roy Henson, girl.

SOCK SUPPER SET FOR VAN DYKE FRIDAY NIGHT

There will be a sock supper at Van Dyke Public School Friday night, Oct. 3. There will be two quartets present to entertain the guests. The public is cordially invited to attend this supper.—Committee.

CHS Officers And Sponsors Chosen

By W. L. Morris, Principal
Comanche High School

Comanche High School seniors, at the end of the second week, completed the election of class officers and sponsors. The following are the officers and sponsors: President, James Layman; vice-president, Talmadge Falls; secretary and treasurer, Lou Cunningham; reporter, Clarice Parker; Senior sponsors, Mrs. Lightfoot and Miss Werner.

The Sophomores have elected the following officers: President, James Level; vice-president, Juanita Bonser; secretary and treasurer, Patsy Smith; reporter, Helen Lester. Sophomore sponsors are Mrs. Rice and Mrs. Rutherford.

The Freshman Class officers are: President, J. B. Arthur; vice-president, Charlotte Howell; secretary and treasurer, Edward Seay. Freshman Class sponsors are Miss Brightman and Mrs. Klingman.

The Spanish Club has elected as officers: President, Lou Cunningham; vice-president, Mary Ruth Ligon; business manager, Mary Jo Albin; reporter, Cherry Brooks.

The officers of the H.E. Club, sponsored by Mrs. Cunningham, are: President, Louise Biggs; vice-president, Dorothy M. Williams; secretary and treasurer, Joan Smith; reporter, Patsy Smith; song leader, Peggy Seals.

Officers of the Second Year Agriculture Class are: President, E. J. Bratton; vice-president, Roger Murphee; secretary, Wallace Coulter; treasurer, Bill Dudley; reporter, Billy Beatty.

Senior Class Members
Boys: Jack Butler, Neal Curb, Jimmy Cunningham, Billy Cathey, Lambreth Cleere, Garland Driskill, Harold Easley, Owen Fletcher, Talmadge Falls, Clyde Grayson, Alvin Grayson, Jesse Ray Guthrie, Charles Hicks, Garland Hicks, Billie Henson, Garland Lloyd, John Lacy, James Layman, Harold McCullough, Walter Mazurek, Ted Masters, John Maples, Garrett Palmer, Hershel Robertson, John Ross, Gerald Robertson, Eldon Tupin, Jimmy Watson, James Wilson.

Girls: Mary Jo Albin, Lou Cunningham, Jean Chaney, Neta Faye Dillin, Ammie Dewbre, Norma Godfrey, Wilda Gresham, Francis Hilliey, Virginia Hart, Bettie Lou Hicks, Dorothy Harris, Mary Ruth Ligon, Janice Parker, Clarice Parker, Bernice Taber, Melba Thomas, Nelda Steele, Doris Scott, Flora Nell Williams, Dorothy M. Williams, Dorothy A. Williams.

Mrs. Lightfoot will also head the Annual with the following staff: Editor, Clarice Parker; assistant editor, Lou Cunningham; business managers, Janice Parker

and John Lacy; sports editor, treasurer, Molly Ross; reporter, Garland Lloyd; club editor, Mary Jo Albin; art editors, Dorothy Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Cunningham; photographer, Doris Scott.

The Warrior staff is also under Senior supervision with Miss Armstrong as sponsor. Staff members are: Editor, Mary Ruth Ligon; associate editor, Molly Ross; member of Junior class; sports editor, Charles Hicks; feature editor, Melba Thomas; news editor, Dorothy Gene Harris; business editor, Jimmy Cunningham; reporters, Janice Parker, Bernice Taber; Dorothy M. Williams; copy editor, Flora Nell Williams.

The Junior Class has also elected officers as follows: President, Jack Freeman; vice-president, Kenneth Bain; secretary and

T. J. Burks Passes Away

T. J. Burks of Caradan died in a Brownwood hospital Wednesday, Sept. 24, and was buried Thursday at Mount Olive. Mr. Burks was the father of Mrs. Ernest Rambo of Brownwood.

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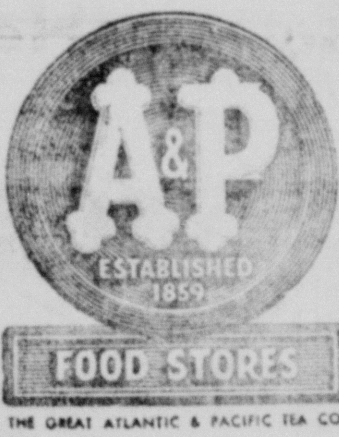
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FILLET OF POLLOCK.....lb. 19c
DRESSED WHITING.....lb. 19c
FILLET OF CODFISH.....lb. 29c
SLICED HALIBUT.....lb. 59c
SLICED SALMON.....lb. 59c
SELECT OYSTERS.....lb. 89c
MEDIUM SHRIMP.....lb. 7c

Peanut Butter Sultana 1-lb. Jar 31c
Salad Dressing Ann Page 1-pt. Jar 31c
Iona Cocoa Delicious 2 1-lb. Ctn. 49c
Vanilla Extract Ann Page 2-oz. Bot. 29c
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Delicious
Apples.....2 lbs. 29c
White
Onions.....3 lbs. 19c
Red
Potatoes.....5 lbs. 23c
Green
Cabbage.....lb. 5c
Regalo Select
Tomatoes.....1-lb. Ctn. 17c
Now Crop
Rutabagas.....lb. 5c
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FOR SALE—Small Radiance heater, and Hoffman hot water heater.—Addie Harvey, 309 E. Grand. (11-14)

FOR SALE—9½ squares of black asphalt shingles \$6 per square; 700 concrete cubs 10c each.—Reese Butane Company. (11-14)

PRESCRIPTIONS—Please bring FOR SALE—70 ft. new galvanized well casing, 4-in. diameter, at cost \$17.50.—E. M. Warren, De Leon, Rt. 2. (11-12p)

FOR SALE—Large table top gas range \$100; dinette suite \$15; 4-poster walnut bed \$40; set new bedsprings \$15; walnut half-table \$20; Dearborn space heater \$20; large bathroom heater \$10; clay-back pre-war heater \$15; mirror top dressing table and skirt \$7; boudoir chair and footstool \$15; Queen Anne loveseat \$20; cane bottom chair \$2; old-time baby bassinet with large wooden wheels, 2 skirts, hood and mattress \$20; 3 squares of used corrugated iron roofing \$18; 50-ft. plastic red water hose \$10; garden wheelbarrow \$5; radio \$7; iron simulated wood bed \$8; various other tools and household articles.—Mrs. Robert Long, 502 West Wright Ave., North Comanche. (11-12)

FOR SALE—Nice 6 room house, bath, garage, storage room, basement storage, chicken yard, back yard fenced, lot 150x110, desirable neighborhood, paved street, possession by Nov. 1.—Robert H. Long, 502 W. Wright Ave., North Comanche. (11-12)

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NEW BLACKSMITH & Welding Shop—Harold Williams has now opened a new shop, located in the Francis Clarke Building, behind the Comanche Ignition Company, and will be ready to serve you with all your blacksmith and welding needs.—Williams Blacksmith-Welding Shop. (11-14)

FOR SALE—Drug store, building rock and brick 30x30, stock, lot, fixtures, own water well, electric pump, butane, septic tank, commode, basin, good place for cafe, beauty shop, dry cleaning plant, apartment in rear, also 6 room modern home, acre ground, own water system, electric pump, butane, septic tank, hot and cold water, shower, cement walks, porches, good garden spot, tile garage, storage room, must sell this week, bargain for cash.—F. D. Hicks, Bluff Dale, Texas. (11-14)

PERSONALITY HOME BEAUTY SHOP—Has just been remodeled and an air cooler added. Machine permanents as low as \$2, cold waves from \$7.50.—Betty Sue Evans, Phone 242M. (11-14)

FOR RENT—Bedroom, adjoining bath, private entrance, paved street.—Mrs. G. B. Clark, Phone 185, 607 W. Grand. (11-14)

FOR SALE—110 laying pullets and 70 yearling hens, White Leghorns.—E. W. Gleaton, Rt. 3. (11-14)

FOR SALE—Jewel Clark gas stove \$12.50.—Mrs. Wayne Ripley, Telephone 129, 301 W. Wright Ave. (11-14)

SAVE MONEY On your tractor and automobile parts by buying them from Starling Bros. & Yantis. (11-14)

FOR SALE—22-ft. factory built trailer house; can be seen at House Service Station lot.—Jack Lane. (11-14)

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NOTICE—To anyone having trouble with your water well. We clean them out, recase them and fix them as good as new. All work guaranteed.—See or phone Hardy Harris, Gustine, or M. K. Taylor, Carlton. (8-11p)

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FOR SALE—City property and farms. If you are in the market to buy or sell, see me. Several good farms and houses listed.—Brown Rambo, Comanche. (11-14)

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RADIATORS—Cleaned and repaired at Elkins Tin Shop, Comanche. (11-14)

See me for helping in making out your application to get your driver's license renewed.—E. A. Williams at the Justice Peace office, Courthouse. (11-14)

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FOR SALE—About 100 nanny goats. Will sell any number.—I. J. Isham, Rt. 2, Blanket. (11-14)

ON HAND—Three section harrow, 8½hp. aircooled hay press engine with clutch, 50 ft. endless belts.—Starling Bros. & Yantis. (11-14)

FOR RENT—Unfurnished bedroom.—Mrs. C. F. Williams, 508 E. Grand, Phone 409. (11-14)

NOTICE—Small red cow came to my place 2 miles north of Sidney, Sept. 23. Owner may claim by identifying, paying for feed and this ad.—Mrs. F. A. Feril. (11-12p)

MILK COWS—Always have several extra good milk cows for sale.—J. F. Vineyard at Wagon Yard. (11-14)

WANTED TO BUY—Will buy your peanut hay, one bale to a million, in field, barn, town, anywhere, anytime.—Hardy Evans, Comanche. (11-14)

NOTICE—Bring your non-fading quilts and blankets for us to wash every Friday. Special discount when 7 or more non-fading quilts are brought at one time. Try this soft fluffy service.—Coleman's Laundry, Phone 91. (11-14)

FOR SALE—8 room house, bath and sleeping porch, located 4 blocks northeast of square.—Burl Farnar at Wilhelm's Barber Shop. (11-14)

FOR SALE—Sand and gravel, driveway gravel, easy to get to.—Joe B. Lee, Hasse. (11-14)

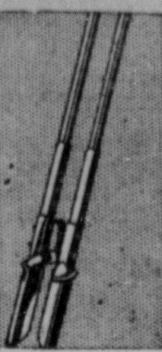
FOR SALE—Seed barley.—Dr. A. F. Gaines, Gustine. (11-14)



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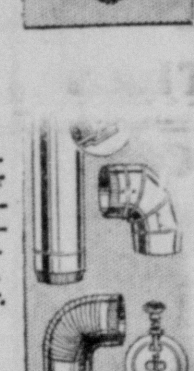
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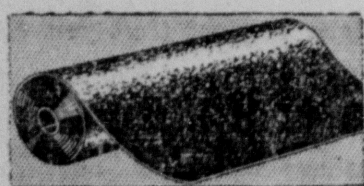
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Notice To The Public

On account of the appointment of Mr. Nicholson as County Attorney in the place of Mr. Long, resigned, the law firm of Holmes and Nicholson is ended.

Mr. Nicholson took over the County Attorney's office on October 1.

Mr. Holmes will continue his law practice in the same office in the Comanche National Bank Building. He will specialize in office practice, estates, and land titles.

All business in the hands of the firm will be handled together to completion.

Y. W. HOLMES
JOHN NICHOLSON (adv)

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone for the nice donations received after our recent misfortune in losing our possessions by fire. A million words would not be sufficient to express our thanks for your gifts and sympathy. Best wishes.—Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Swindle.

STRAYED—Young whiteface bull, strayed from my calf pen last Friday.—Notify D. R. Auvenshine, Gap community, Rt. 1, Sipe son, on Old Brownwood Highway Springs. (11-14)

DEVIL'S IVY and Cactus plants at Hampton Floral Company (11-14)

LOST—70-pound bale of broom corn, between Indian Gap and Eastland via Highway 16 to De Leon and Highway 6 to Eastland. Reward.—L. B. Rainey, Indian Gap. (11-12p)

FOR SALE—Parts for 1936 Chevrolet, radiator, springs, transmission, rear end, gas tank, master cylinder, etc. Also washing machine, cheap.—Wilburn Jones, Sidney Star Route. (11-14)

GET YOUR Tractor and automobile parts from Starling Bros. & Yantis and save money. (11-14)

DISTRICT GARDEN CLUB MEETS AT SAN SABA

The Fall meeting of Texas Garden Club, District 5, will be held Friday, Oct. 3rd in San Saba.

Mrs. John W. Green, State president, will be present.

The program will begin at 9:30 a.m., luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m., and the meeting will adjourn at 3:30 p.m.

All members planning to attend this meeting, please call Mrs. Tom Dudley.

FOR SALE—27 acres, well improved except gas; also have some nice building sites for sale; 8 acres unimproved except fenced, all in City limits on Old Brownwood Highway; 65 feet of 3-inch pipe with double acting foot valve and sucker rods; will trade good young combination saddle and cow horse for cattle.—M. T. Ma Gap community, Rt. 1, Sipe son, on Old Brownwood Highway Springs. (11-14)



Match-Master...Torso Length

Be a fashion juggler with this new Bobbie Brooks blouse... fashioned in the gay torso length of Wyner's 100% worsted SAG-NO-MOR jersey. Contrast it with your skirts or two piece dresses to make your wardrobe grow. Choose yours from fall's gayest colors in sizes 7 to 15.

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—We have our own well dug . . . have a good pressure pump . . . and experienced men—ready to keep your car looking its best during this water shortage.

—So don't let that car of yours go dirty . . . because there isn't sufficient water to allow cars to be washed with water used from the City Water Department—BRING IT TO US.

—And . . . we have a complete line of SINCLAIR PRODUCTS, and are ready to serve you with your complete station needs!

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NOW OFFERS

—Pick-Up and Delivery

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PHONE 176

CHESTER HARRIS, Mgr.

LOST—Yearling lamb, last seen on Brownwood Highway. Reward. —Dave Finklestone at Pa & Ma's Diner. (1tc)

FOR SALE—Farmall B with all equipment; 40 acres of peanuts, 100 bushels of corn, few chickens. —Hugh Gober, 2½ miles out on Gustine road on Mrs. Jake Fielder farm. (11-12p)

FOR RENT—Upstairs room, with modern convenience. —Addie Harvey, 309 E. Grand. (1tc)

FOR SALE—Boy's dress suit, size 16; sport suit, size 14; girl's wool coat, size 10; wool skirt, size 10. —Latham's Dry Cleaners. (1tp)

JOE NELSON

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(SEVEN BLOCKS OUT ON BROWNWOOD HWY.)

We will continue to handle a complete line of those quality SINCLAIR PRODUCTS—and will be ready to serve you with all your service station needs.

We'll appreciate the continued patronage of all of Mr. McMillian's customers, and will welcome back our old customers, and the public in general.

Nelson's Service Station

WANTED—Carpenter work any type. Experienced. —Carl Milner, 5 miles northwest of Sidney. Write to Sipe Springs, Rt. 1. (11-14p)

FOR SALE—Two-wheel all-steel tractor chassis (no bed; 8 ft. long, 4 ft. wide. —E. D. Ragsdale, 405 Northwest 36 Highway, Comanche. (1tp)

I Want Your Turkeys

IT WILL PAY YOU TO SEE ME BEFORE
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Highest Prices for PECANS—

My many years experience as a PECAN dealer enables me to pay you the highest prices.

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If you have any CREAM for sale, don't fail to see us.

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We want to buy your POULTRY and EGGS and will pay you the highest prices.

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Produce Co.**

J. V. BUTLER, Owner

STOVE REPAIRING — If you have a gas heater you want cleaned up and a new asbestos back put in, bring it to me. —Walter Lane, 406 West Paine, Phone 227R, Comanche. (1tp)

FOR SALE—H John Deere tractor, planter and cultivator, power lift, lights and battery, used 2 years on 45 acre farm. —See Henry Drennan, Sidney, for further information. (11-13p)



. . . for selecting Comanche in which to open their modern new Men's Furnishing Store. We extend congratulations and best wishes!

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Offering A Complete Frozen Food Locker Service

NOTICE

Of Change In Water Prices
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ON ACCOUNT OF THE ACUTE WATER
SHORTAGE

THE CITY OF COMANCHE IS FORCED TO
RAISE THE WATER RATE

and

LOWER THE MINIMUM

THE NEW CHARGES ARE AS FOLLOWS

\$2.00 For First 1000 Gallons

\$1.00 For Each Additional 1000 Gallons

EXAMPLE: If a City Water consumer uses 4000 gallons per month the charges would be \$2 for 1000 gallons and \$3 for the additional 3000 gallons, making a total charge of \$5 for the 4000 gallons.

YOUR CO-OPERATION IN CONSERVING OUR WATER SUPPLY
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The City of Comanche

FANE WALDROP, Mayor

E. L. CURB, City Secretary

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2 For 25¢ SALE

1 lb. Chicken Noodle

DINNER

Less Than 1½ Price

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for

25¢

No. 2 Can

Kraut

2 for

25¢

300 Size

Spaghetti

2

for

25¢

No. 2 Temple

PEAS

2

for

25¢

No. 2 Mayfield

CORN

2

for

25¢

No. 2 Can

Hominy

2

for

25¢

Quart Jar Dill

Pickles

2

for

25¢

No. 2 Can Green

BEANS

2

for

25¢

300 Size Pork

BEANS

2

for

25¢

15 oz. Blackeye

PEAS

2

for

25¢

15 oz. Mexican

style Beans

2

for

25¢

Orange

JUICE

2

for

25¢

Tomato

JUICE

2

for

25¢

Apricot

NECTAR

2

for

25¢

Peach

NECTAR

2

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25¢

12 Oz. Date Nut

LOAF

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ANOTHER ONE HALF PRICE ITEM

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BABY BEEF**

OUR SPECIALTY

CONGRATULATIONS

To The New Mens Store THE HUB

FOR WELL DRILLING—See Mrs. Grocery, Brownwood Highway at
Tatum Nabers at Nabers North Elm. (tf)

Gustine

Mrs. J. A. Allen visited her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Hill at Brownwood last week.
Dale Green visited relatives and friends here over the week.
Mrs. Ethel Bertram, who was injured in a fall recently, has returned home from a Brownwood hospital where she received treatment.
Freddie Mack Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Caraway of Guadalupe, California and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carpenter of El Paso have been at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Woodie Johnston.
Raymond Strickland of Arkansas flew down in his private plane to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Strickland.
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCay of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Fleming and Mrs. Ed Spellman and son, Charles, all of Brownwood and W. A. McCay of Clifton enjoyed a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Seldon McCay Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Todd are visiting in Turkey.

TEXAS FROZEN FOOD Industry Tops Nation In Gains—Texas is the leader in the food freezing field according to a recent survey by the National Frozen Food Locker Association. Many people are putting in their homes a frozen food chest. We have several sizes now on hand for your convenience. Ask us for demonstration.—Service Drug Appliance Dept. (10-13)

WISE HOUSEWIVES use DURHAM'S EXTERMO to keep their kitchens free of black sugar ants. It is a honey flavored syrup which attracts the ants out of your house. A 1 pound bottle costs only 39c at your Grocery or Drug Store. (tf)

FOR SALE—Several farm houses. Can be moved.—J. W. Whitesides, 3 miles south of Sipe Springs. (10-13p)
FOR SALE—60 Allis-Chalmers combine, No. 3 McCormick-Deering one-way, butane gas cook stove, 7-ft. McCormick-Deering power mower, Superior grain drill.—Lee Priddy, Priddy, Texas. (10-11p)

FOR SALE—Corner lot, 75x150, located in Northwest part of town.—Dale Waldrop. (tf)

WANTED—Dead or useless animals removed free.—Phone Collect Brownwood: 9494, if no answer, 7812.—Brownwood Rendering Co. (tf)

AIRMAID HOSIERY—See the beautiful shades of our Nylon hosiery, price \$1.35, \$1.95, \$2.50. For wear there is none better.—Service Drug Store. (10-12)

ELECTRIC WATER PUMPS—We have several on hand, can install and have the pipe with every pump. See us for just the pump that you need.—Service Drug Store Appliance Dept. (10-13)

with 2-row cultivator and planter, practically new double bottom 14-in. breaking plow, 4-wheel trailer, good J. I. Case feed mill, springtooth harrow.—A. L. Hilliard, 2 miles North of Comanche on De Leon Highway. (10-12p)

FOR SALE—F14 Farmall tractor FOR SALE—6 room house and bath, large lot, young orchard, all modern conveniences.—Mrs. Hubert Phillips, 207 S. Mary. (tf)

FOR SALE—4 room house with big sleeping porch, 3 big lots, located just off the De Leon Highway near the A. P. Burks residence.—Miss F. A. Lee. (8-11)

FOR SALE—F12 Farmall on rubber with F14 two row lister, planter, and two row cultivator, two row all steel stalk cutter, and nearly new feed mill; all for \$650.—W. T. Pryor, Democrat Star Rt., Comanche, one mile South Harmony on Lake Road. (8-11p)

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Central West Texas' Most Modern Men's Store

Saturday, October 4



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We join in extending congratulations to MR. CONNARD REAVES, and the entire management and personnel of THE HUB, INC., for their beautiful new Men's Store which will open here SATURDAY!

ALVIN HAFFORD'S

CONGRATULATIONS

TO THE
HUB

—We appreciate progress, and know that the opening of this fine new Men's Store in Comanche, will be an asset to Comanche and the entire area.
—We know buildings, and know that the home of this new men's store, is sound in every respect—modernly styled, and designed!
—We are proud to have been the contractors for the PERRY BROTHERS BUILDING, which is now nearing completion on the South Side of the Square—and in which Comanche's newest store, THE HUB, INC., is located.
—Again, our congratulations to Mr. Reaves, and the entire personnel of THE HUB, INC.

ROSS and SONS
CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

GENERAL CONTRACTORS
Brownwood, Texas

More Want Ads

FOR SALE—Nortex seed oats, also speltz.—Paul Brewer, Rt. 3, Comanche, 7 miles out on old Hamilton Highway. (10-11p)

GRAIN SOWING—I am available to sow grain for the public. Have new drill with fertilizer attachment.—Buster McDonald, Rt. 1, Gustine. (10-11p)

WANTED—To buy used Ford tractors and equipment.—Lloyd Tractor Company, Phone 161, Dublin. (10-13p)

GRAIN SOWING—Have good Oliver Superior grain drill, and will do public work.—J. D. Boyd, Phone 25W, Comanche. (10-11p)

QUICK SALE—65 acres good peanuts, 125 bushels corn, 1 good milk cow, 2 whiteface heifers, F12 Farmall and all equipment, one sow, 5 pigs, 2 gilts, 25 Harmonson White Leghorns.—Layton Guber, Rt. 2, on Rev. T. N. Carter's place, 2½ miles North of Comanche. (10-12p)

TEXAS ALMANACS—New shipment of 1947-48 Almanacs just received. 85c per copy.—The Chief. (tf)

FOR SALE—Late model Ford tractor, also low even spreading fertilizer distributor (not the whirwind type) for sale or rent; all steel truck bed, pickup bed, rubber tired wagon for \$45.—Rea T. Hoff, 4 miles East on Ft. Worth Hwy. (10-11c)

LAND BREAKING DONE.—Rea T. Hoff, Phone 548F3. (10-11c)

FOR SALE—Liverman peanut thresher, priced at \$600.—D. O. Harris, Proctor. (10-11p)

FOR SALE—Rolo Domino J 1st 14 months old registered Polled Hereford. Outstanding calf. He will be worth more each week.—E. C. Seay, Sidney. (tf)



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GREY SQUIRREL DINING OUT—
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